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n re application of: Jalkanen et al.

Appl. No.: 10/005,647 Filed: December 7, 2001

For: Glucuronyl C5-Epimerase, DNA **Encoding the Same and Uses**

Thereof

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Art Unit: 1652

Examiner: Charles L. Patterson, Jr. Atty. Docket: 1708.0280002/MAC

Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1)

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is hereby requested that the period for replying to the outstanding Office Action be extended one month from March 5, 2004 to April 5, 2004 by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.

The petition fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)) is believed to be \$110.00 for a one month extension for a large entity. Fee payment is provided in our accompanying PTO-2038 Credit Card Payment Form. However, if extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the present patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

Respectfully submitted,

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Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are		-	First Named Inventor			
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Applicant claims small entity status	5. See 37 (SFR 1.27	Art Unit			
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	(\$)	110.00	Attorney Docket No.	1708.0280002		
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Name			1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification		
The Director Is authorized to: (check all that apply) Charge fee(s) indicated below Credit any overpayments			1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination		
Charge any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s)			1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action		
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FEE CALCULATION			1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	\$110.00	
1. BASIC F	ILING FEE	,		1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	
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Fee Fee Code (\$)	Fee Fee <u>Fee</u> Code (\$)	e Description	Fee Paid	1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1001 770	2001 385 L	Jtility filing fee		1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1002 340	2002 170 [Design filing fee		1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
1003 530	2003 265 F	Plant filing fee		1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1004 770	2004 385 F	Reissue filing fee		1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1005 160	2005 80 F	Provisional filing fee		1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)			1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable		
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE			1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional		
Fee from			1501		2501	665			
Total Claims		xt <u>ra Claim</u> s <u>below</u>	Fee Paid	1502	480	2502	240		
Independent			1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee		
			1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner		
Large Entity Small Entity			1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)		
Fee Fee	Fee Fee	Fee Description		1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
Code (\$)	Code (\$) 2202 9	Claims in excess of 20		8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1202 18 1201 86		Independent claims in e	excess of 3	1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
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